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In re Application of:

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Examiner: A. Patel

Commissioner of Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

**NOTICE OF APPEAL TO THE BOARD
OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision dated June 19, 2002 of the Examiner finally rejecting claims 1-8 in the subject application.

The fee due for the Notice of Appeal is **\$320.00**. Applicants hereby petition for a three-month extension of time. The three-month extension of time fee in the amount of **\$920.00** is due with this Notice of Appeal. The total fees due with this Notice of Appeal is **\$1240.00**. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the above fees to Deposit Account No. 50-0310. A duplicate copy of this Notice of Appeal is attached.

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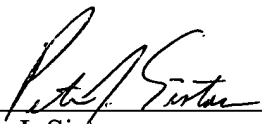
extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 are not included above, please charge such fees also to our Deposit Account No. 50-0310.

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